

CENTRAL ALBERTA TEAM PENNING ASSOCIATION
2010 ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
PRESIDENTS REPORT

WOW, here we are again at our AGM, and we have navigated through another successful year of cattle penning.

This year including the joint show in February we have completed 10 regular season shows with our finals that were held in Olds this year.

Although our numbers were down this year our show averages were still good; this year we averaged 181 entries per show compared to 190 entries per show in 2009.

Once again this year our hard working directors put on the Finals Show, with the cattle and handlers being supplied by Larry Huelsman. The Regional show this year had 234 adult teams over the two days compared to 245 adult teams in 2009. Kim worked quickly this year and we had tabulated high point results in a very timely fashion and we were able to move forward with presentations on Sunday while there was still a good size audience to congratulate the winners.

I would like to thank the following show operators for their hard work in hosting the shows for us:

- Kjen Arena, Kurt & Jennifer Robson
- Trevor Marcinek
- Stettler Ag. Society
- JVS River Ranch, Jonna & Villy Sorensen
- Rockin H Arena, Connie & Larry Huelsman

We hosted another beginning penner clinic in the spring and this was well attended. Thank you Larry and Connie Huelsman for your continued support in this venture, your support helps to make this clinic a great success. This clinic is a good way for new penners to get some instruction and gain knowledge from our vast pool of experience.

We have two directors that are stepping down, Chuck McNeil and Ron Marcinek. These two gentlemen have provided a lot of good service for our association and will be greatly missed by the board. I would like to thank each of you for your guidance in the two years that I had the pleasure to work with you.

Our directors according to the Bylaw work on a two year term therefore we have two directors that have served this two year term and will need to be elected as directors:

- Jack Richardson
- Tracey Connatty

Thank you to all of our volunteers that work tirelessly at each show manning the gate, setting up and taking down for each show. We had a series of successful shows this year and that is in no small part due to our show operators, Thank you.

The directors have worked hard and had many lengthy discussions and come to decisions that are for the benefit of the entire association. I would like to Thank you directors for all your volunteer efforts in leading this association through another successful penning year.